

The Hawaii State Public Library System (a consolidated system of 50 public libraries and the Hawaii State Library) supports the American Library Association's positions in its comments. We especially support the choice of alternative methods of determining discount levels. Our public libraries do not follow school district boundaries, and school lunch program eligibility is a meaningless criterion. Secondly, our consolidated system should be able to submit one application for e-rate discounts, rather than individual applications for 50 individual libraries; these apps. are submitted by our central services office, not by the individual libraries.